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RESPONSE TO SECOND RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Second Restriction Requirement dated September 27, 2005, Applicants elect the invention of Group I, (claims 1-7, 9-12, and 60), drawn to a method for treating a neurological disorder in a subject by administering an effective amount of SLURP-1 protein.

This response is due on or before October 27, 2005 with no extension of time. Applicants believe no fees are due with this submission, however, should any fee be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No. 20349-564).

Respectfully submitted,

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following documents:

- 1. Response to Second Restriction Requirement (1 page); and
- 2. Return postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 617-542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 20349-564. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

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